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MONDAY, JULY 6, 1857.

GEORGETOWN COLLEGE.—Kentucky may well be proud of her educational institutions. In addition to old Transylvania, now a State normal school, there are Bethel and Bacon and Center, and other colleges, which would do honor to any State.

Among these, and in the front rank, stands Georgetown College, Scott county. Some year or so back, and soon after President Campbell took charge of the institution, the startling announcement was made that, notwithstanding the apparent prosperity of the college, it had no real endowment, and unless something was done for it immediately, all operations must be indefinitely suspended. Under these circumstances Dr. Campbell was called to and entered upon the work of raising an endowment fund. Eighteen months have passed, and at the recent commencement exercises at Georgetown it was announced that the proposed fund of one hundred thousand dollars was nearly all raised, and the college placed on a commanding and firm foundation. A vote was enthusiastically passed by the General Association of Baptists thanking the President for his industry and energy in this unexpected achievement. Georgetown College was never in as prosperous a condition as at present. The number of its students, as seen by the catalogue, was two hundred. The graduating class was unusually large and talented. Of the President we need not say one word. He possesses all the scholastic attainments, practical common sense, and tireless energy peculiar to his Scottish training. The college will open its regular term the first week in September, with prospects as bright as those of any institution in America.

MISS ELIZA LOGAN.—This great actress has achieved a most extraordinary triumph in New York. For years the theatrical managers of that city declined to give her an engagement for no other apparent reason than that they were prejudiced against Western talent. She however was not disengaged. With all her modesty, she understands her own powers, and she therefore took a lease of Wallack's theatre, being resolved that the people of New York should have an opportunity to judge of her performances for themselves.

The result has certainly fulfilled her very highest hopes. She draws immense houses every evening, and the presses echo and reecho her praises. They agree that she has no superior, even if she has an equal, in America. She has won her laurels nobly, and she will as nobly wear them.

A distinguished gentleman of this city has received, as a present, a pair of beautiful golden sleeve-buttons, set with wood from the celebrated Charter Oak. The sets are decorated with the representation of the crow, and the jewels are otherwise beautiful. Such a gift is worth having.

Democrat.—Indeed it is. We have the honor to wear the beautiful sleeve-buttons aforesaid, set with wood from the Charter Oak, and presented to us by a valued friend in this city; we occasionally carry a handsome cane manufactured from the Charter Oak and presented to us by our friend the Hon. J. W. Stuart, the proprietor of the Charter Oak place, together with several charming little Charter Oak mementos from Mrs. Stuart; and we have the most exquisitely beautiful pistol we ever saw, with a Charter Oak stock, presented to us by our friend Col. Colt, the distinguished inventor of the pistol that bears his name.

THIEVES ARRESTED.—Night before last a gentleman named James Baillie was robbed at Mrs. Black's boarding house of \$48 in money and two notes of hand—one of \$200 and the other \$90. Officer J. S. Gallagher, of the Fourth Ward, having been applied to, arrested two boys named John Scott and John Carr, who had stopped at the same house. The money and notes were found in the cellar, where they had been secreted by the thief.

Officer Powell arrested last evening an Irish woman named McKinney, who keeps a groggery on the wharf, on a charge of stealing \$45 from another Irish woman.

This is indeed one of the sweetest, pleasantest, and most delightful of all the predictions of the American muse. Very many inquiries being made of us as to Rosa's address by those who probably wish to write to her, we would inform them that her address in summer is Mrs. Rosa V. Johnson, Lexington, Ky., and in winter Ashwood Post-Office, La.

[For the Louisville Bulletin.]

THE FLIGHT OF APRIL.

By frosty rills  
Among the hills  
Was smiling April lost,  
When winter stern  
Hid icy urns  
Had left all wreathed with frost.

Her tears and smiles  
And countess' wiles  
Filled his cold heart with joy,  
And there he left  
The glittering gift  
Her footstep to decoy.

No sooner spied  
The maid blue-eyed  
This wondrous vase of sheen  
Than hall was strung  
And snow-wreaths hung  
All o'er her robes of green.

Right quick she threw  
Her violet blouse  
And golden crocus down,  
And gemmed them o'er  
With frost before  
She wore another crown.

And when the sun  
Arouned them spun  
A web of amber light,  
She sang with glee  
And laughed to see  
Her diadem so bright.

But soon alas!  
It came to pass  
That Sol his light withdrew,  
When cold beneath  
That frosty wreath  
Fair April's forehead grew.

And through her heart  
An icy dart  
Seemed piercing when the croesoed  
On her warm breast  
That green robe dropt  
In white festoons of frost.

The wind blew bleak,  
And on her cheek  
The tears soon turned to sleet,  
Which, falling, crushed  
The buds that blushed  
In beauty at her feet.

Her voice was mute,  
Her breezy blos  
Lay broken on the hill,  
And in her ear  
Blew loud and clear  
Old winter's clarion shrill.

While there, spell-bound,  
She stood, the sound  
Of icy armor rang  
O'er field and flood  
And shook the wood  
With cold and dismal clang.

She wept with fear,  
For lo! drew near  
The hoary-headed king  
And doffed his crown  
And knelt him down  
To woo the child of Spring.

With fingers sharp  
He swept her harp  
Among the tall pines hung,  
Nor all in vain  
His wild strange strain  
To listening April sang.

For frail and fair  
And trembling there  
She harked his tale of love,  
Though cold as death  
His freezing breath  
A snow-shroud round her wove.

Her heart grew proud  
As low he bowed  
To woo her budding charms,  
And far away  
She fled that day,  
Clasped in his icy arms.

With fickle heart  
She did depart,  
Nor mourned her mother's grief,  
Though naught was left  
The spring bereft,  
But withered bloom and leaf.

Yet spring did yearn  
For her return,  
And hoping was beguiled,  
Tis from the north  
A voice came forth  
With tidings of her child.

To halls of rime  
In northern clime  
Had winter borne his prize,  
And crowned her queen  
'Neath domes of sheen  
Lit up by polar skies.

Her mournful smile  
Made for awhile  
Those dismal shores seem bright,  
And 'neath its glow  
Were fields of snow  
Left blushing with delight.

To bid her half  
The teeming pale  
Then frozen javelin dashed  
Upon the strand,  
While land and grand  
Their icy symbols clashed.

But drooped and died  
Old winter's bride  
Within his frozen palace,  
And for her soul  
The north winds toll  
And waves the borealis.

A funeral torch  
Which cannot scorched  
The pale, sad flowers that start  
Like ghosts of gloom,  
Through her now-wrapped tomb,  
From April's broken heart.

CANTON PLACE, June 24. BOSA.

\* Arctic travelers tell us of pink snow in the polar regions.

Col. Gabriel S. Caldwell has been nominated by the Americans of Boyle as their candidate for Representative in the lower house of the Legislature.

MARIETTA RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—Killed at once

Mrs. Win. Brigham, Lafayette, Ind.; Wm. C. Richardson, Boston, Mass., Matthew Conley, Pioneer Furnace, Ohio.

Francis Bullard, of Indianapolis, aged 18, died Wednesday evening.

John Scott and John Carr, who had stopped at the same house. The money and notes were found in the cellar, where they had been secreted by the thief.

All the other wounded are apparently improving.

Mr. Bullard, the father of the two boys above-mentioned, went up on the express train yesterday morning, and would arrive at Marietta at 2.45 in the afternoon.

The officers of the Company have instituted a

complaint into the causes of the accident,

and have done all in their power for the comfort of those injured.

POCKPOCKETS ARRESTED.—The great celebration at Lexington to-day has drawn numerous pickpockets hitherward, both males and females, and they are generally of English origin. A trio of them, named James Wilson, alias James Anderson, alias Robert Anderson, a woman, and Joseph Clegg, arrived here on Wednesday from Chicago, on their way to Lexington. They got up at the Neil House, Clegg, who is an American, and the woman, who is English, and claims to be Clegg's wife, occupying one room; and Watson, who is an Englishman, another room.

Yesterday morning Watson and the woman saluted forth to try their hands on their favorite occupation. They went into a drygoods store on Market street and bought some trifling article. Mrs. Greenlaw, the wife of Capt. Greenlaw, and her servant were in the same store. Mrs. G. had made some purchase, and handed the storekeeper a \$20 gold piece, who gave her three five dollar notes and some other money in change, which she put in a side pocket. This was seen by Watson. He was standing on one side of Mrs. G., and the English woman on the other. Watson stepped behind them, and bending down, put his hand between them toward the floor, and brought up a handkerchief which he said was dropped by his friend, and gave it to her. Watson and the woman immediately afterwards left. Mrs. Greenlaw, in the meantime had made another purchase, and feeling for her portmanteau, which contained the money, found that it was gone. The then remembered that at the time Watson pretended to pick up a handkerchief, she thought that some one had their hand in her pocket, but was thrown off her guard by his coolness in the matter. A description of Watson and the woman was furnished to officer Bligh, who was not long in finding Watson about the Wharf. The officer kept his eye on him, but Watson, suspecting something, got on the ferry-boat. Bligh followed and arrested him, brought him back and put him in jail. He then arrested the woman at the Neil House, and officer Gallagher arrested Clegg at the same place. Nothing of great value was found in their possession, except a snuff-box, which has the name of "Foster" on it, but the initials of the name are obliterated. They had tickets for Lexington.

Our friends of Lexington will do well to be on the alert. We have no doubt there are many of this kind of gentry among them.

LARGE SALE OF MULE COLTS.—S. C. Brown, of Washington county, sold, the other day, to W. A. Wilson, forty-five mule colts at seventy dollars a head, to be delivered next fall—all the get of his jack Giant Mareno.

CENTRAL BANK AT DANVILLE.—The Directors of this Bank have declared a dividend of 4 per cent. upon the capital stock for the past six months.

[From the Cincinnati Enquirer of Friday.]

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE—Great Loss of Property—Johnson & Meader's Furniture Manufactory and W. P. Resor & Co.'s Foundry Destroyed—Loss \$250,000. The most destructive and disastrous fire that has visited our city for many years occurred last night. About half-past eight o'clock a fire was discovered in the engine room of the large furniture manufactory of Meader, Johnson, & Co., on the north-west corner of Smith and Front streets.

The flames communicated to the main building adjoining, a five-story brick, and in a brief space of time it was enveloped in flames. The fire department was soon on the ground, but owing to the combustible material within the walls of the building, it was next to impossible to check the progress of the fire. The flames spread with almost lightning rapidity, and the heat was very intense. Torrents of water from twenty streams was poured upon the burning building, but they were, apparently, powerless. Adjoining, on the south, was another brick building, four-stories in height, belonging to the same firm, which caught fire and was soon a mass of burning matter, together with two two-story frames on the north part, also belonging to the same establishment. In the rear was the large lumber yard of the firm, which soon caught fire.

The head of the flames was too powerful and intense to admit of the near approach of the firemen.

The combustible character of the material, and the rapidity with which the flames spread, rendered the labor of the firemen almost powerless.

On the south-west corner of Front and Smith streets was situated the large stove and hollow ware

foundry of W. P. Resor & Co., which caught fire in the roof, and the flames soon spread throughout the upper part, although several streams of water were brought to bear upon it. In less than an hour the entire building was consumed.

Resor's foundry was a five story brick building,

extending from Front to Water street, over two hundred feet front, and was the largest establishment of the kind in the West. A large quantity of

valuable property was carried into the back yard, but they were destroyed by the falling of the walls.

J. K. Coolidge and H. Costermans' large furniture

establishment, opposite Meader & Johnson's factory, were considerably injured, as was also the Mechanics' Hotel, on the south-east corner of Front and Smith.

Meader & Johnson's loss, including the buildings,

will not fall far short of \$100,000, upon which there is an insurance of only \$50,000.

W. P. Resor & Co.'s loss is about \$120,000. We

could not ascertain the amount of insurance, but understand that it approximated close to the loss.

By this fire over three hundred mechanics are thrown out of employment.

MEMORANDA.—Steamer Empress left New Orleans on the 26th of June at 6 o'clock P. M.—First night out N. D. New York at Grandview. 27th—met Rainbow at Walnut Point. 28th—met Chancellor at the mouth of St. Francis. 29th—met Woodford at the foot of St. July 2—met T. C. Twitchell at the mouth of Green river; Baltic at Mt. Vernon; Eclipse at Lewisport.

FORT OF LOUISVILLE.

JULY 3.

ARRIVALS.

Jacob Strader, Cin. Empire City, Pitts.

Statesman, Henderson.

DEPARTURES.

Jacob Strader, Cin. Alvin Adams, St. Louis.

Empire City, Pitts. Northern, Memphis.

Empire City, St. Louis.

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**THE NATIONAL ANNIVERSARY.**—To a stranger, the city on Saturday seemed to be depopulated. All business was suspended, and the day appeared like a Sabbath. While quietness reigned supreme at home, the surrounding country was alive with picnic and other social parties. The railroad companies had to bring into requisition all their locomotives and cars to accommodate the public.

Several thousand of our citizens attended the ceremonies at Lexington. They returned on Saturday and Sunday. We must defer our account of the proceedings in that city till to-morrow.

The citizens of Eminence celebrated the Fourth by a grand dinner. An oration was delivered by Mr. Armstrong, a graduate of Georgetown College.

**SANDUSKY, INDIANA, AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.**—A meeting of the stockholders of this road took place at Cambridge City, week before last. The meeting was well attended, and quite an interest was manifested in the road. Mr. Lewis Maddux was elected President of the company. Messrs. Johane Ame, C. S. Donaldson, Jacob Mull, and J. Shawhan were elected Directors for Rush county. Hon. James Guthrie, of this city, was also elected a Director. Messrs. Garret of Winchester, Sol. Meredith of Richmond, Lafe Devilen, and Thomas Tyner were elected Directors for the eastern portion of the State. Stock solicitors have also been appointed, and the company is now fully organized. They expect to go to work in earnest and have the road completed at once. The work has assumed the name of the Sandusky, Indiana, and Louisville Railroad. It commences at Sandusky City, Ohio, and traverses about one hundred and ten miles of that State before it strikes the Indiana line. We believe the principal place on its route after leaving Sandusky is Union, where it will connect with several of the most important Western roads. It will take an air line course from the last named place to this city, passing through Winchester in Randolph county, Cambridge in Wayne county, Rushville in Rush county, Shelbyville in Shelby county, and Columbus in Bartholomew county. The road will connect with the Bellefontaine road at Winchester, with the Cincinnati and Chicago road at Cambridge, with the Indianapolis and Cincinnati road at Shelbyville, with the Madison and Indianapolis road at Columbus, and with the Ohio and St. Louis road at Jeffersonville. About sixty miles of the road between Sandusky and Union is already graded and ready for placing the iron upon it. The iron has been procured for eighty miles of the road and will be laid down immediately.

If the company succeed in negotiating for the Rushville and Shelbyville, and for the Shelbyville and Columbus roads, it will leave about one hundred miles of the road to be built. They expect to have the road completed and the cars running between Rushville and Louisville this fall. The length of the road, as contemplated, cannot fall short of three hundred miles.

The road will undoubtedly be built. Men of capital and energy have taken hold of it, and those of no moderate means are anxious to secure its stock.

**The quarter-master and commissary departments at St. Louis have been engaged since the 5th of May in fitting out the Utah expedition. The number of troops forwarded by them to the West is 1,600; the number of horses purchased, 302; number of mules, 234; number of wagons, with harness for six mule teams, 325; total number of tons of quartermaster's and commissary stores, purchased and shipped, 5,750; number of bushels of oats, 15,600; bushels of corn, 70,000; steamers engaged, 45; and number of teamsters employed, 200. The value of the quarter-master's stores is \$700,000, and that of the commissary's stores, \$328,000. It does not embrace the material of war furnished by the St. Louis arsenal, and in the preparation of which an average of 100 men have been for some time employed. When the whole account comes to be footed up, it will be found that this expedition has been the means of disbanding some twelve or fifteen hundred thousand dollars in Missouri, to say nothing of transportation across the plains, the supply of beef cattle, &c., contracts for which have already been made.**

**A DOUBLE MURDER.**—On Monday last, Mr. Patrick Gallaher, highly-esteemed citizen of Franklin county, Mo., was shot and probably killed by a man named Blackwell. Gallaher was the owner of a mill in Franklin county, and some words had passed between the parties. Gallaher was unarmed. Blackwell procured two pistols and a shot-gun, the last loaded with buck-shot. With these arms he returned to the mill, in company with his son, where he found Gallaher and a young man named Kearny. Gallaher was shot with the gun, the most of the load striking him in the hip and the legs, and one of the buck-shot in the body, passing just above the liver. As Gallaher fell, Kearny ran up to support him, and he was wounded by a shot fired by a son of Blackwell, after which the latter fired at and killed him also. The murderers escaped, although great excitement was produced in the county, and the male population turned out in pursuit of them. They are said to have taken the direction of St. Louis. One letter says that Gallaher was not dead, but mortally wounded; another, that he was killed.

**J. S. R. Chipman, mentioned as having been convicted at the last term of the Guilford, N. C., Court of the murder of Miss Pinnix, has escaped from jail. Much excitement prevails in the community in consequence of the murderer's escape, and as to how he was furnished with the requisite instruments with which to cut through eighteen iron bars between Thursday and Saturday. His estimable but broken-hearted mother paid him a long visit on Thursday, at which time his cell was examined.**

**The Maysville Eagle is informed that Wm. Orr, Esq., of Bracken county, sold, a few days ago, his entire last year's crop of wine to a gentleman in New York for \$2.50 per gallon. This is the highest price we have yet heard of the native wine selling for in this country, and it speaks well for the adaptation of Bracken soil to the grape business.**

**The Uranian Literary Society of the State University of Missouri, at Columbia, have voted an honorary membership to Miss Matilda Heron. This character of compliment is rare indeed, and, to our knowledge, has only been extended by similar societies to two other ladies in the United States—Mrs. Mowatt and Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz.**

**Part, the French fugitive, who was forcibly rescued from the hands of the sheriff of New York last week, has been rearrested in that city.**

**The Chicago Tribune announces the failure of the Bank of Commerce of E. R. Hinckley & Co. of that city.**

**DEATH OF WILD CAT.**—The famous Seminole chief Wild Cat is dead. He and forty of his tribe died of small-pox.

**THE PRETENDED SPIRITUAL MANIFESTATIONS.**—The Boston Courier prints the following award of the committee who were appointed to investigate the controversy between that journal and Dr. H. F. Gardner, respecting the genuineness of certain phenomena for which a spiritual origin is claimed by some misguided persons. The committee find, of course, that there is no just ground for this belief:

The committee award that Dr. Gardner, having failed to produce before them an agent or medium who "communicated a word imparted to the spirits in an adjoining room," who read a word in English written inside a book, or folded sheet of paper, who answered any question "which the superior intelligences must be able to answer," "who tilted a piano without touching it, or caused a chair to move a foot;" and having failed to exhibit to the committee any phenomenon which under the widest latitude of interpretation could be regarded as equivalent to either of these proposed tests, or any phenomenon which required for its production, or in any manner indicated a force which could technically be denominated Spiritual, or which was hitherto unknown to science, or a phenomenon of which the cause was not palpable to the committee, is, therefore, not entitled to claim from the Boston Courier the proposed premium of five hundred dollars.

It is the opinion of the committee, derived from observation, that any connection with Spiritualistic circles, so called, corrupts the morals and degrades the intellect. They, therefore, deem it their solemn duty to warn the community against this contaminating influence, which surely tends to lessen the truth of man and the purity of woman.

The committee will publish a report of their proceedings, together with the results of additional investigations and other evidence independent of the special case submitted to them, but hearing upon the subject of this stupendous delusion.

BENJ. PEIRCE, Chairman,  
LS. AGASSIZ,  
B. A. GOULD, JR.,  
E. N. HORSFORD.

Cambridge, June 29, 1857.

The gentlemen composing this committee are fully entitled to the confidence of the community.

**THE PEARL DISCOVERIES.**—The Journal of Commerce notices some interesting facts connected with the pearl discoveries in New Jersey. The result falls short of the generally exaggerated estimate, both as regards numbers and value. Present labor, too, it seems, is not so well rewarded as former efforts, and many discovered are defective in shape and color:

We were shown the largest one which has yet been found, and ascertained its estimated value to be \$1,500. This pearl is rarely surpassed, either in size or appearance, by any that are imported, being over a quarter of an inch in circumference, or nearly the size of a boy's marble, very lustre, perfectly spherical, and delicately tinted with blue, literally "pearl color," thus combining all the requisites for a pearl of the first class.

Its weight, which is the chief criterion of excellence, is exactly 33 grains. It was found in New Jersey. Most of these pearls are beautifully tinted with pink, which color is deemed, by Paris connoisseurs, to be in wise inferior to white. Tiffany & Co. have purchased about 100 valuable pearls, many of which are estimated to be singly worth from fifty to seventy-five dollars, and are about the size of a large pea. Besides these, there are something like 300, or about a gill, of all sizes, shapes, and colors, which are comparatively valueless. It is very common for them to be pearl-shaped, or irregular. Some times two or three little lustrous globules are found adhering; and in most cases the pearl seems to be a secretion, formed by successive luminescence of calcareous matter. A pair of very curious muscle-shells were found recently by one of the pearl-diggers, having imbedded in their interior surface a small white button. The animal apparently having been unable to effect its removal, had nearly covered it with a substance resembling that of which the shell itself is formed.

Although pearls have been found most plentifully in New Jersey, it is calculated by one well-qualified judge that the total value of the discoveries does not exceed \$6,000.

Employed at one time in searching for pearls, and at length the mussels have been well nigh exterminated. This last result is not at all strange, when it is considered what a relentless warfare has been kept up against this unfortunate bivalve. One man, who offered some pearls for sale the other day, remarked that he opened two thousand without finding a pearl. Taking all that have yet been discovered, it is probable that four times their value has been expended in the search. Some very good pearls have been found in this State; also in Massachusetts, and in some of the small streams in the valley of the Connecticut. A number have been received here from Ohio, and it is likely they exist to some extent wherever the black, fresh water mussel is found. It has been observed that the smaller and least attractive of the mussel tribe, such as appear to have had rough usage or been broken, are most likely to contain the bright silvery, translucent substance so much sought for. The genuineness of the article is unquestioned.

An exchange paper says with philosophy:

To a fair anonymous correspondent, who questions us on a delicate subject, we will say, briefly, that it is better to love a person you cannot marry than to marry a person you cannot love. This is a short text for a long sermon, which human experience will continue to preach until "the last syllable of recorded time."

**TO THE PUBLIC.**—On the 20th of May last, Miss Sarah E. Jarratt, daughter of Rev. N. R. Jarratt, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, left North Mount Pleasant, Marshall county, Mississippi, with the knowledge of her friends, and came to this city. From this place, on the 23d of that month, she wrote to her father's family, residing near Holly Springs, Miss., that she intended to become a nun, by joining the order of "The Sacred Heart." This she gave as the reason of leaving her friends in the manner she did. On the 25th May, Miss Jarratt, we learn, visited "St. Agnes Academy," a Roman Catholic female seminary in this city.

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**THE PEARL DISCOVERIES.**—The Journal of Commerce notices some interesting facts connected with the pearl discoveries in New Jersey. The result falls short of the generally exaggerated estimate, both as regards numbers and value. Present labor, too, it seems, is not so well rewarded as former efforts, and many discovered are defective in shape and color:

We were shown the largest one which has yet been found, and ascertained its estimated value to be \$1,500. This pearl is rarely surpassed, either in size or appearance, by any that are imported, being over a quarter of an inch in circumference, or nearly the size of a boy's marble, very lustre, perfectly spherical, and delicately tinted with blue, literally "pearl color," thus combining all the requisites for a pearl of the first class.

Its weight, which is the chief criterion of excellence, is exactly 33 grains. It was found in New Jersey. Most of these pearls are beautifully tinted with pink, which color is deemed, by Paris connoisseurs, to be in wise inferior to white. Tiffany & Co. have purchased about 100 valuable pearls, many of which are estimated to be singly worth from fifty to seventy-five dollars, and are about the size of a large pea. Besides these, there are something like 300, or about a gill, of all sizes, shapes, and colors, which are comparatively valueless. It is very common for them to be pearl-shaped, or irregular. Some times two or three little lustrous globules are found adhering; and in most cases the pearl seems to be a secretion, formed by successive luminescence of calcareous matter. A pair of very curious muscle-shells were found recently by one of the pearl-diggers, having imbedded in their interior surface a small white button. The animal apparently having been unable to effect its removal, had nearly covered it with a substance resembling that of which the shell itself is formed.

Although pearls have been found most plentifully in New Jersey, it is calculated by one well-qualified judge that the total value of the discoveries does not exceed \$6,000.

Employed at one time in searching for pearls, and at length the mussels have been well nigh exterminated. This last result is not at all strange, when it is considered what a relentless warfare has been kept up against this unfortunate bivalve. One man, who offered some pearls for sale the other day, remarked that he opened two thousand without finding a pearl. Taking all that have yet been discovered, it is probable that four times their value has been expended in the search. Some very good pearls have been found in this State; also in Massachusetts, and in some of the small streams in the valley of the Connecticut. A number have been received here from Ohio, and it is likely they exist to some extent wherever the black, fresh water mussel is found. It has been observed that the smaller and least attractive of the mussel tribe, such as appear to have had rough usage or been broken, are most likely to contain the bright silvery, translucent substance so much sought for. The genuineness of the article is unquestioned.

An exchange paper says with philosophy:

To a fair anonymous correspondent, who questions us on a delicate subject, we will say, briefly, that it is better to love a person you cannot marry than to marry a person you cannot love. This is a short text for a long sermon, which human experience will continue to preach until "the last syllable of recorded time."

**TO THE PUBLIC.**—On the 20th of May last, Miss Sarah E. Jarratt, daughter of Rev. N. R. Jarratt, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, left North Mount Pleasant, Marshall county, Mississippi, with the knowledge of her friends, and came to this city. From this place, on the 23d of that month, she wrote to her father's family, residing near Holly Springs, Miss., that she intended to become a nun, by joining the order of "The Sacred Heart." This she gave as the reason of leaving her friends in the manner she did. On the 25th May, Miss Jarratt, we learn, visited "St. Agnes Academy," a Roman Catholic female seminary in this city.

**A DOUBLE MURDER.**—On Monday last, Mr. Patrick Gallaher, highly-esteemed citizen of Franklin county, Mo., was shot and probably killed by a man named Blackwell. Gallaher was the owner of a mill in Franklin county, and some words had passed between the parties. Gallaher was unarmed. Blackwell procured two pistols and a shot-gun, the last loaded with buck-shot. With these arms he returned to the mill, in company with his son, where he found Gallaher and a young man named Kearny. Gallaher was shot with the gun, the most of the load striking him in the hip and the legs, and one of the buck-shot in the body, passing just above the liver. As Gallaher fell, Kearny ran up to support him, and he was wounded by a shot fired by a son of Blackwell, after which the latter fired at and killed him also. The murderers escaped, although great excitement was produced in the county, and the male population turned out in pursuit of them. They are said to have taken the direction of St. Louis. One letter says that Gallaher was not dead, but mortally wounded; another, that he was killed.

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